

LAMMERT BROS.

AUCTIONEERS, APPRAISERS
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Public Auctions

PUBLIC AUCTION

Valuable Household Properties
situate at Victoria in the Colony of
Hongkong
to be sold in two lots in pursuance of
an Order of the Supreme Court
of Hongkong made in Original Jurisdiction
Miscellaneous Proceedings No. 29
of 1921 in the matter of the Wills of
KWOK CHU KAI, deceased, and
KWOK CHAU SHU deceased and in
the matter of the Trustee Ordinance
No. 5 of 1901 Sections 42 and 61.

ON TUESDAY,

The 21st day of November, 1922, at
3 o'clock in the afternoon by Messrs.
LAMMERT Bros., Auctioneers, at their
Auction Rooms, Duddell Street, Victoria,
Hongkong.

The properties consist of—

Lot 1. ALL THAT piece of land
of ground situate at Victoria aforesaid
registered in the Land Office as Section
C of Inland Lot No. 210A together
with the messuage erected thereon known
as No. 12, Queen's Road West. Term
399 years from 27th October 1864,
created by a Crown Lease of the said
lot dated the 7th December 1864.
Proportion of Annual Crown Rent
\$11.65. Area 738.75 Square
Feet.

For further Particulars and
Conditions of Sale
apply to

Messrs. JOHNSON, STOKES &
MASTER,
Solicitors.
Prince's Building,
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or to
Messrs. LAMMERT BROS.,
The Auctioneers,
Hongkong, November 3, 1922.

WOON YAU YUE

"ONE-PRICE" DEALERS IN
CHINESE ANTIQUES AND
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Old Chinese Porcelains,
Bronzes, Buddhist Stucco
Sculptures, Paintings,
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SPARROW CARDS (MA JONG)
FOR SALE. CARDS MADE IN
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Our Silk Kimonos combine Art and
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TO SECRETARIES OF CLUBS AND
OTHER INSTITUTIONS.

ALL preliminary notices of forth-
coming meetings, lectures and
entertainments, sent for insertion in
the news columns of the *China Mail*,
are charged for at the rate of \$1 each,
(as announced in May and June of
last year) providing that they do not
occupy more than four lines. In
any case where space is exceeded they
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STAMP ALBUMS

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No illustrations for stamps, no text
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with quadrille ruling. The best
albums for collectors, enabling
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their own way, leaving no empty
pages.

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No. 24, Wyndham Street

(Opposite to the *China Mail*)

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Graduate of Tokio Massage School,
No. 23, Wyndham Street,

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PUBLIC AUCTIONS

The Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, (for account of the concerned),

ON

FRIDAY,

November 17, 1922, commencing at 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 6, Des Voeux Road, Corner of Ice House Street.

VALUABLE TEAKWOOD AND BLACKWOOD FURNITURE, AND HOUSEHOLD SUNDRIES, &c., &c., &c.

Comprising:-

Dining Suites, Chesterfield Sofas, A-ma-chairs (new), Card and Occasional Tables, Teakwood Twin Bedsteads, Large and small Wardrobes, Dressing Tables and Chairs, Washstands, &c., Sideboards, Dining Wagons, Dinner Services, Crockery & Glass Ware, Cooking Stoves, Cutlery, Carpets and Rugs, Staircase Carpets, Electroplated Ware, Electric Reading Lamps, Screens, Blackwood Teapots, Carved Curio Cabinet, Marble-top Flower Stands, Val. St. Lambert Cut-glass Ware and Marble Statuettes and Ornaments.

Also

A few lots of Blankets, Travelling Rugs and Sundry Household Linens, And

One Piano, by M. F. Hutchins & Co. (in good condition), Two New Carpets.

Terms: Cash on delivery.

HUGHES & HOUGH,

Auctioneers.

Hongkong, November 9, 1922.

INTIMATIONS

THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE FIFTH GYMKHANA MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at Happy Valley, on SATURDAY November 18th, commencing at 2.45 p.m.

The Charge for admission to the Public Enclosure will be \$1. Soldiers and Sailors in uniform half price.

Members are advised that they must show their Gymkhana Season tickets to obtain admission to the Members' Enclosure.

Each Member has the right of introducing 2 non-members to the enclosure, tickets for whom can be obtained from the Secretary at \$6, each up to Friday, 17th November.

The Stewards invite the Ladies of Hongkong to be present.

Hongkong, November 9, 1922.

THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

AN EXTRA GYMKHANA is fixed for SATURDAY, December 2nd, 1922, Draft Programmes and Entry Forms may be obtained at Race Course, Hongkong Club and Causeway Bay Stables. Special St. Andrew's Programme.

Entries close on 20th November 1922.

Hongkong, November 9, 1922.

MARINE SURVEYOR AND AUCTIONEER REQUIRED FOR SHANGHAI.

AN Experienced Surveyor of damaged cargo, who will also act on occasions as Auctioneer is required by the Undersigned.

State experience and salary required to

L. MOORE & CO., LTD., Established 1874.

Shanghai.

Agents: TOPLIS & HARDING.

Surveyors to Lloyd's Underwriters.

November 14, 1922.

J. B. LAL,

THE ABLE INDIAN PHYSICIAN FROM SINGAPORE.

is now ready to receive anyone who wishes to consult him on the following diseases, viz., Rheumatism, Tuberculosis, Malaria, Rheumatism of the Neck, Neuralgia, etc., etc., and GUARANTEES TO CURE

the above diseases within

TWO MINUTES.

\$1.00 REWARD.

A Reward of \$1000 for the person, will be paid to my Doctor who is able to cure the Rheumatism mentioned above.

Anyone asking use of my medicine either by

removing my label or substituting his own will not

be entitled to any medicine as my own preparation.

I can cure all kinds of Eye diseases as well as other sicknesses and guarantee to cure

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Consulting charge - \$1.00

Visiting fee - \$1.00

Consulting hours from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

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FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, HONGKONG, ANNOUNCES A FREE LECTURE ON CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

BY CHARLES L. OHRENSTEIN, C.S.B., of Syracuse, New York.

Member of the Board of Lecture-ship of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.

IN THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ROOM, CITY HALL,

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20TH, 1922, at 5.30 p.m.

THE PUBLIC IS CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND.

Hongkong, November 13, 1922.

MORTGAGE INVESTMENTS WANTED.

MESSRS. DEACON, LOOKER, & DEACON & HARSTON of No 1 Des Voeux Road Central, Solicitors, have for investment the sum of \$250,000.00 and are prepared to consider applications for the advancement of the same on first class Mortgages of house property.

Hongkong, November 14, 1922.

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HOLLAND-CHINA TRADING CO., Hongkong, November 14, 1922.

ESTATE OF THE LATE T. O. WILKEN.

ALL Outstanding Accounts in connection with the above estate should be sent at once to the undersigned c/o "China Mail" office.

G. W. C. BURNETT,

Hongkong, September 22, 1922.

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WE CORDIALLY SOLICIT YOUR ENQUIRIES.

XMAS! XMAS! XMAS!

Now is the time to think of Friends at home, they will enjoy a box of our good Cigars. Send Your Orders soon as possible, we will forward for you without delay.

HONGKONG CIGAR STORE,
Alexandra Building.

MARRIAGE.

BERNARD—ADDIS.—On November 16th at St. John's Cathedral, Hongkong. DOLLS GERALD MERCER BERNARD to BETTY ADDIS.

The China Mail.

"TRUTH, JUSTICE, PUBLIC SERVICE"

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, NOV. 16, 1922.

ENGLISH FOR THE ENGLISH.

That Education Board meeting last week promises to make history. It has resulted in a committee to inquire into the whole question of British education and it has set people thinking. If Mr. N. Teesdale Mackintosh showed himself a realist by insisting that the Board get right down to tasks replacing the present nebulous policy with a definite programme, Mr. B. Wylie, the Kowloon residents' representative, showed himself equally practical by urging that it would be more to the point if children, instead of seeking to master shorthand, learned more English. This goes to the very root of the problem, for the study of English should form the bed-rock of our education system.

But English is not yet accepted in that light. It is still regarded as a sideline. Indeed, the Homo committee appointed in 1919 to inquire into the position of English in the Educational System of England found that in many schools of all kinds and grades English was considered an inferior subject. This committee, which had Sir Henry Newbold for Chairman and Sir Arthur T. Quiller-Couch among its members, was convinced, on the other hand, that English is a subject of "very vital concern," by its very

of that divorce of education from reality which we have always found to be a main cause of failure in the past. English may come by nature up to a certain point; but that point is soon reached, and thenceforward the possibility of mental development, in whatever direction, is seriously diminished for those who have not achieved some mastery of their mother tongue. What a man cannot clearly state, he does not perfectly know, and, conversely, the inability to put his thought into words sets a boundary to his thought. Impressions may anticipate words, but unless expression seizes and recreates them they soon fade away, or remain but vague and indefinite to the mind which received them, and incomprehensible to others. A hazard of intellectual vision," said Cardinal Newman, "is the malady of all classes of men by nature . . . of all who have not had a really good education."

The Hongkong Education Board's committee is now considering its report on the question of British education in the Colony. That report may decide the fate of the whole system. It is of first importance, then, that it should give full weight to Mr. Wylie's plea for closer application to English, for the Homo committee, comprising the most distinguished educational authorities and expressing the opinions of shrewd observers, has declared it an incontrovertible primary fact that for English children no form of knowledge can take precedence of a knowledge of English, no form of literature can take precedence of English literature; and that the two are as inextricably connected as to form the only basis possible for a national Education.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Amongst shipbuilding in hand at present at Belfast Harland and Wolff have a couple of 20,000-ton P. and O. liners to be launched early next year.

Passengers who left for Australia by the "Aki Maru" yesterday included Mr. C. M. W. Reynolds, Rev. Mr. A. J. S. Stearn, Lieut.-Col. E. Waters, and Miss Waters, Mr. H. J. Asmus and others.

The last show of Miss Suzanne Longfellow's ability as tennis-player takes place to-night at 9.15 p.m. at the World Theatre. Those who are interested in the game should not miss this last opportunity of seeing this great player.

A distressing accident occurred last week at the Taipei Tin Dredging Mine, near Taiping (H.M.S.) when an Australian named Lane and a Chinese timekeeper were drowned in the dredge paddock, owing to the capsizing of a sampan.

At a recent meeting of the Hongkong Padding Planters' Association, Mr. Gordon Graham said that the cost of living of an unmarried estate cookie was \$6 a month whilst a married cookie lives on \$9 a month. Clothes were, however, separate and cost a man \$5 a year and a woman \$3. A member: " \$8 a year! I bet we have some short skirts about!"

Says the *Shanghai Times*: Among the passengers arriving at Yokohama on the Taiyo was Major L. Cassel, C.B.E., of the British Army, who, for several years, was a member of the staff of the Governor of Hongkong. During the World War Major Cassel was in charge of the censor's office in Hongkong. He is returning there after an extended tour in the United States.

The original of all the mother-in-law stories is said to be the following:—As the cave man was gnawing at a bone one morning, the cave woman rushed in yelling, "Quick! Get your club! Quick!" "What's the row?" growled the cave man. "Sibre-ooth tiger chasing mother," quipped the cave woman breathlessly. "Oh, hell!" said the cave man. "What do I care what happens to a sabre-tooth tiger?"

A serious disturbance took place at Kuala Lumpur on November 7, between two gangs of rascals coolies. The gangs are understood to have been at loggerheads for a long time past, and on November 7 they met, each other and had an open fight in which several were hurt. Inspector Ponting with a force of constables arrested almost all of the combatants. When the case was mentioned in the police court, Inspector Taylor said that the Kuala Lumpur rascals coolies were getting absolutely out of hand and asked for severe punishment.

SPECIAL CABLE.

HONGKONG'S GOVERNOR.

SIR EDWARD STUBBS LEAVES SINGAPORE.

[*China Mail Special.*]

SINGAPORE, November 15. Sir Edward Stubbs has arrived here on the P. & O. s.s. "Kashgar" from Hongkong.

Sir William Rycroft, Governor of British North Borneo, arrived by the same vessel.

They have both proceeded to their destinations.

CHINESE EASTERN RAILWAY.

Vladivostok Government's ACTION.

TOKYO, November 15. It is reported that the Vladivostok Government has closed the terminal of the Chinese-Eastern Railway, thereby forcing control into the hands of Moscow.—*Reuters.*

ALLEGED AGITATOR.

CHARGE AGAINST BANK SUPERVISOR.

PEKING, November 16. In response to a petition from the Premier charging Fu Tsung-yao, the Government supervisor over the Bank of China at Shanghai with instigating trouble among government railway employees at Chiteling, a mandate dismisses the latter and hands him over to the judicial authorities.

Reuters.

LAWLESS CHINA.

HANKOW MEETING'S STRONG PROTEST.

HANKOW, November 14.

This evening's meeting, composed of all nations, unanimously passed the resolution mentioned earlier and appointed a committee to make representations to the Legations.

Mr. Larsen, Lithuanian missionary at Kwangchow, giving an account of the situation in Hounan, stated that very large bands of brigands were looting cities, interfering with foreign trade, robbing missions, and carrying off French, British and American nationals, including the 5 year old son of a missionary.

Mr. Legrand, the missionary, was captured but escaped owing to the guard lagging behind when the bandits were killed by the villagers.—*Reuters.*

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Mr. A. Kirk, of the P.W.D., living at Lees Buildings, Wan Chai Gap, had \$120 worth of clothing stolen from his room yesterday.

The Chinese members of the Hongkong Civil Service have formed a recreation club. A meeting of members takes place on Saturday at 2 p.m.

In response to special requests, the Grand Italian Opera Company has arranged to give two matines—"Rigoletto" on Saturday, November 18 and "Il Trovatore" on Saturday, November 25.

A number of detectives raided an oil-pressing shop in Kowloon City and arrested eight men. Two of the men had pistols fully loaded. One of them is suspected of having wounded Chinese constable C412 at Homuntin.

The Industrial and Commercial Bank, of Chater Road, is inviting the ladies of the Colony to visit their premises on Saturday at 2 p.m. when their department for ladies will be inaugurated. With lady attendants, this is quite a new feature in Hongkong banking methods.

Yesterday afternoon, about 3 o'clock a plain clothes Chinese lukong probably on hawking duty, chased a Chinese middle-aged woman from the Central Market along Des Voeux Road Central and caught her outside Gilman Street. Our reporter discovered that she had been selling vegetables outside market precincts. Afraid of the law, she was very loth to accompany the constable, and he dragged her along the street. A large crowd followed.

A Favourite Pub Down.

The golfers, football players and the rowing athletes know the value of Chater's Pain Rel'.

It is just the thing for a rub-down after a hard game.

All sorrows disappear. The range and sprays and swellings are cured in a

third less time than by any other treatment.

For sale by all Chemists and Stockkeepers.

LOCAL WEDDING.

LANGSTON—MORRIS.

A popular local wedding took place at St. John's Cathedral yesterday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, when Mr. Arthur G. Langston, Superintendent Engineer of the Hongkong Electric Co., son of Major and Mrs. Langston, Streatham, London, was married to Miss Dorothy Mary Morris, the only daughter of Mr. Alfred Morris of the Education Department and Mrs. Morris, No. 10, Wellington Path.

The Rev. V. H. Copley Moyle officiated at the ceremony, which was attended by a large gathering of friends of the parties, including a large proportion of Hongkong society.

The bride, who was given away by

her father, looked charming in a

costume of ivy French satin,

trimmed with French silk lace and

pearls and orange blossoms and a

veil of tulle with orange blossoms.

She carried a shower bouquet of white

roses, with maidenhair fern and

ribbons.

Miss Florence Rosser, acted as

bridesmaid. She was dressed in pale

mauve taffeta, with mauve piano

velvet picture hat to match, and

carried a bouquet of violets. The

bride's mother wore a dress of grey

satin, trimmed with steel bead trim

ings, and a black hat with gray

feathers.

Little Miss Joan Duckworth made

pretty flower girl in a dress of blue

satin. She carried a basket of pink

roses. Master Duckworth acted as

page boy, being also dressed in blue

satin.

The duties of best man were carried

out by Dr. P. R. Daugerty, Messrs.

Foster and Mycock were the ushers.

Mr. Dennis Fuller was at the organ.

Following the ceremony in the

Cathedral a large number of friends

went along to offer their congratulations to the happy pair at a reception

held in the Hon. Mr. Stephen's house

in St. John's Place. Afterwards Mr.

and Mrs. Bernard left to spend their

honeymoon at Faunling; the bride's

going away dress being of French

navy blue and lawn crepe marocain.

The bridegroom's gift to the bride

was a diamond brooch and the bride

gave the bridegroom a gold watch.

Each of the bridesmaids was presented

by the bridegroom with a pearl

pendant and a bead bag and the

page was given gold safety pins.

NOTABLE WEDDING.

JARDINE'S TAI-PAH MARRIED

BRIDE WELL-KNOWN BANKER'S

DAUGHTER.

A very big gathering was present at the wedding in St. John's Cathedral this afternoon of Mr. D. G. M. Bernard, the local head of Messrs. Jardine Matheson and Co. Ltd. and son of Mr. Bernard and the late Mr. E. B. Berard, J. P. of Shakespear, Butler, Hants, and Miss Betty Addis, daughter of Sir Charles Addis, the well-known banker, and Lady Addis.

The Hon. Mr. A. G. Stephen

gave away the bride, who wore

a beautiful gown of white and silver

brocade and carried a bouquet of

red roses tied with red velvet ribbon.

There were four bridesmaids, the

Misses Rosalind Liddell, Jemima

Leveson, Sheila Lang and Pamela

Dodwell, and they were pretty dressed

of forget-me-not blue organdie. Each

carried a bouquet of pink roses.

Master Bruce Sutherland and Master

David Beavis were the two charming

TENNIS.

COMING INTERPORT PLAY HERE.

Hongkong's interport season is by no means over. The latest invaders in our sporting field will arrive here within the next couple of days. They are a tennis trio from Shanghai who left the Northern Settlement by the ss. "President McKinley" yesterday. The visiting players are Messrs. J. Elmore, J. L. Wade and J. Carnavaro. All three are "star" performers with the racquet; and our local players are promised keenights. Elmore and Carnavaro won the hard court Doubles Championship at the French Sporting Club.

The "President McKinley" is due to arrive on Saturday evening, and a two day interport will start either on Tuesday or Wednesday next.

Hongkong's representatives will be chosen from the following, who have been selected to practise on the Chinese Recreation Club Courts:—Ng Sze-kwong, Wong Puk-keung, A. A. Rumjahn, S. H. Ismail, E. C. Fincher, J. B. Penman, Lt. Worthington, M. K. Lo, M. W. Lo, and V. Yvanovich.

Ng Sze-kwong, our Singles Champion will, of course, be in the team. Of the others, Yvanovich and Wong Puk-keung were last year's runners-up in the Doubles Campionship, which was won by Ng Sze-kwong in partnership with W. Lock-wei who is now out of the Colony. The Lo brothers were the Doubles Champions in 1920 and "M. W." was the challenger in the Singles last year. A. A. Rumjahn reached the final a set M. W. Lo, while Ismail, Fincher, Penman and Worthington are all able players. The Hancock brothers, last year's Doubles Champions, have apparently retired.

PENANG TURF CLUB.

REASONS FOR THE YEAR'S LOSSES.

Mr. J. D. Kemp, presiding at the annual general meeting of the Penang Turf Club, said the state of affairs shown in the accounts was regrettable. The loss of \$363 on the year's working was attributed largely to the slump and to a certain extent to circumstances beyond their control, such as the loss of \$7,834 on griffins kept in Australia until times took a turn for the better. The income from the tote showed a reduction of \$20,000 and entrance fees \$9,000, compared with the previous year.

Replying to questions, the chairman explained that \$2,000 special remuneration for the January meeting was paid to the Hon. Mr. D. A. M. Brown for taking charge of the meeting owing to the illness of Mr. F. Oxenham, the secretary. The cashier's defalcation had happened while Mr. Pye was running the office and Mr. Brown the outside work. They thought they could trust the cashier to some extent until one day he bolted and had never been seen since. They had now appointed Messrs. Evans and Co. treasurers at a fee of \$250 per month. The secretary's salary had been reduced.

The Hon. A. B. Voules was elected president for the ensuing year and the committee are Messrs. J. D. Kemp, J. G. Brown, H. G. Gardner, F. Duxbury, Dr. Wright and Sir A. Adam.

When the Shanghai Chamber of Commerce was drawn to the Shanghai Mercury, a Portuguese lady, a Mrs. Pereira, had a good look at the figures and then calmly imparted the information to a friend nearby that she had a share in a number which covered Maresfield, the winner. Ten Shanghai Portuguese, who risked a dollar each in No. 28675 are now planning how to invest their money. The second prize went to Mr. Joseph Willoughby of Kobe. Mr. Willoughby is with the same firm that employed Mr. Barrie, who won the first prize in the Championships last Spring. There must be plenty of good joss in the firm in question—the Nambiki Shogyo Kabushiki Kaisha. The third prize, we now learn, has gone to a Japanese shopkeeper of Nanjing Road.

PASSENGERS DUE.

Per N.Y.K. ss. "Hawaii Maru" from London—Miss J. W. Burwell, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Clark, Miss G. Ewing, Miss J. B. C. Fowler, Miss J. W. Galt, Mr. S. E. Green, Miss K. Howell, Miss L. J. Head, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hunter, Mr. D. J. Johnson, Misses (2) N. Clark, Miss P. Makay, Misses (2) E. Newham, Miss E. Novak, Miss M. V. D. Paton, Mr. J. A. Ralancall, Mr. and Mrs. H. Siegen, Master J. Siegenbach, Miss F. E. Wilson, Mr. J. W. Stephen.

Per N.Y.K. ss. "Sado Maru" from London—Mr. J. E. Coates, Mr. A. Stockdale, Miss E. Thrall.

TYphoon WARNING.

The telegram quoted below was received by the local American Consulate General from the Manila Observatory:—

2.30 p.m., November 16, 1922.

Typhoon in about 155 deg. Long. E. 30 deg. Lat. N. moving N.

ARMS ARREST.

RECENT BIG HOTEL FINDS.

POLICE COURT SURPRISE.

The prosecution arising out of the big seizure of arms at the King Edward and Palace Hotels, took an unexpected turn in Mr. J. R. Galt's Court this morning when Mui Neukun the "mysterious" white man and his two Chinese companions were discharged.

The police withdrew the charge against the accused on the ground of "insufficient evidence."

Accused were represented by Mr. H. C. Lee, on behalf of Mr. Leo d'Almada.

The two Australians, William E. Pitt and Owen J. Smyth were also produced in Court.

The police asked for a date to be fixed for hearing the charge against them.

The Magistrate suggested 11.15 to-morrow morning.

Pitts (smiling): The sooner the better. I have been here several days now, and have been unable to find bail.

The hearing was accordingly fixed for to-morrow morning.

SIX MONTHS' JAIL.

DAGGERS UNDER MATTRESS.

Speaking English fluently, and dressed in European costume, a Chinese was this morning sentenced by Mr. E. W. Hamilton to six months' hard labour for the unlawful possession of two daggers.

Sub-Inspector Fallon said he heard the ss. "Seyo Maru" at 7.30 yesterday morning to search for contraband. Entering defendant's cabin, he casually lifted the mattress on the bunk, and underneath he found the two daggers.

Defendant said he found the daggers on the dock. They had been left behind by passengers.

CHEST'S SECRET.

HIDDEN BIFLE FOUND.

Another Chinese, also dressed in European costume, was charged with the possession of a Winchester rifle and the possession of ammunition.

Inspector Fallon produced a large chest. The contraband, he said was found in the false bottom.

The police spent an hour trying to open the secret compartment, and finally had to smash the bottom.

Defendant readily admitted possession. He said he was a traveller from Panama to Hoiping.

The Magistrate said that he did not object to a Winchester rifle as much as to a revolver. "It can not be carried about to shoot the police with." This case was not so serious as the previous one, as defendant appeared to be a bona fide traveller who was passing through on his way to the country.

To defendant: It is no use you saying you did not know the regulations. The fact that the arms were held in disrepute that. You are fined \$50 and the arms are confiscated provisionally.

REVENUE OFFICER CHARGED.

\$2,000 BAIL RENEWED.

The Chinese revenue officer charged with the unlawful possession of a revolver and 26 rounds of ammunition, was again before Mr. E. W. Hamilton this morning.

Sub-Inspector Pincock applied for another week's remand. He said the police regarded the case as serious in view of the fact that all the Chinese revenue officers had been warned not to possess private revolvers.

The remand was granted. Bail in the sum of \$2,000 was extended, the Magistrate expressing surprise that the defendant was able to raise that sum.

RICSHA ACCIDENT.

CHINESE GIRL'S THIGH INJURED.

Run over by a ricksha, a 6-year old Chinese girl was yesterday afternoon admitted to the hospital with a fractured thigh bone.

The ricksha was proceeding at a high speed down a steep incline in Pekulam Road when the accident occurred. The girl, who was playing with some other children on the side of the road, suddenly dashed across the road. With a roar in the vehicle it was impossible for the coolie to pull up suddenly, and the child was knocked down. One of the wheels went over her thigh.

CRICKET.

KOWLOON v. SHANGHAI.

BILLINGS AGAIN TO THE FORE.

The Kowloon ground looked its very best this morning when the visitors from Shanghai appeared on the peninsula this morning. It is a good deal bigger than the Clink ground and a boundary at the bowling green end takes some getting. Evans won the toss and elected to bat—this is the third time Billings the visiting captain has lost the toss.

Mitchell and Stapleton went in first for the home side against Billings and O'Hara. Both started very cautiously, Stapleton especially. The wicket was poor and anything but true, the ball doing all sorts of weird and wonderful things—I heard one of the visitors say "the worst in the world" and I believe he was talking about the pitch.

Mitchell was never comfortable against Billings and with only twelve on the board was clean bowled, Major Matthews taking his place. He began more confidently and got O'Hara well away twice in the first over he received. His partner, Stapleton, did not last very long being out to a splendid ball from the Shanghai captain, with the score at 19. Spinks followed and was nicely taken by Divesha off O'Hara before he had scored with the board reading 10-3-0. Le Fleming who followed watched Matthews play an over and was immediately caught on the slips from a ball that got up very badly. Matthews however undeterred by disaster after disaster, continued to play the bowling confidently. Evans, the home captain, now joined Matthews and a very good stand was made putting on 73 runs. Both batsmen took liberties and Matthews was missed in the long field; but apart from this they played very sound cricket and it was a pleasure to watch the score mounting steadily. Matthews played a ball from O'Hara hard to extra cover. It looked like another 4 but Divesha running in caught the ball low down with one hand, a catch that was deservedly applauded. Wood who now joined Evans was deceived by a ball which broke quickly from Leg. He evidently thought it was going past, but it got his leg stump and 6 wickets were down for 12 runs. Captain Dode who was next batsman watched Evans make some pretty strokes but never looked like getting any runs himself and Dance was out first ball. 8 wickets down for 115. Hall joined Evans and made a fine four to leg off Billings but in this bowler's next over he completely beat Evans with a fast off break which scattered his stamps. The last man Pestonji hit one ball for 4, missed first ball, 8 wickets down for 115. Hall joined Evans and made a fine four to leg off Billings but in this bowler's next over he completely beat Evans with a fast off break which scattered his stamps. The last man Pestonji hit one ball for 4, missed first ball, 8 wickets down for 115.

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CANTON'S FINANCES.

LOAN FROM HONGKONG MERCHANTS.

(From our own Correspondent.)

Canton, Nov. 16.

Owing to the funds from the Currency Loan not being available, Chung Sau-nam, the Finance Commissioner is trying to get a small loan to tide over the present financial shortage. It is reported that a loan of \$600,000 will soon be put through with some Hongkong merchants.

Business—Election of Stewards, Hongkong, November 16, 1922.

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The Half Yearly Meeting of Members will be held on WEDNESDAY, 29th November, 1922, at 12.30 p.m. at the Jockey Club Room, Hongkong Club Annex.

Business—Election of Stewards.

Hongkong, November 16, 1922.

FOUND.

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FURIN FIGHTING.

It has been intimated that Kwok Wai-nut, editor of the Canton Yiu Tseung Po, has been arrested because he published a report to the effect that General Chen has been in communication with Shum Hung Ying.

The Canton vernacular press claims that he has not incurred the wrath of the authorities for this but for his persistent opposition of the foreign loans.

Yesterday's reports state that somebody else was detained by mistake and has since been released.

Meanwhile Kwok is said to have escaped to Hongkong, from where he has written a letter to General Chan.

WURKING FIGHTING.

An outcome of the fighting on the Fukien frontier is General Chen's order for a wireless plant to be erected

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"KARMALA"	8,010	6th Dec.	1'bay, Marseilles, L'don, A'worp.
"SICILY"	6,700	27th Dec.	S'pore, Penang, Colbo & B'bay.
"KASHGAR"	9,000	10th Jan. 1923	MARSKELLS, LONDON & A'worp.
"PLASSY"	7,393	24th Jan.	do.
"SARDINIA"	6,680	7th Feb.	do.
"NELLORO"	6,883	21st Feb.	do.
"DELTA"	8,000	7th Mar.	do.
"KALYAN"	9,010	21st Mar.	do.
"KASHMIR"	8,000	21st Mar.	do.
"DONGOLA"	9,000	21st Apr.	do.
"NANKIN"	7,500	18th Apr.	do.
"KARMALA"	9,010	2nd May	do.
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EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Reader's Service to the China Mail.)

HOME ELECTION.

LONDON, November 16th.
The general election campaign of 1922 concluded last night with a torrent of political oratory which, taken right through has not been paralleled in previous contests.

The polling began at seven o'clock in the morning and in some constituencies will continue till nine o'clock tonight, but in the majority of divisions the usual twelve hours - 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. - are being observed.

The fog, which has enveloped London during the past twenty-four hours, shows signs of lifting. If it does lift, it will remove one of the dismal conditions of a typical November day likely to deter women from proceeding to the poll.

Nine million are qualified but the women vote is regarded as a most uncertain factor in to-day's uncertainties incidentally in South Kensington female voters out-number the men.

A heavy poll is generally not anticipated owing to the shadowiness of the issues dividing the Conservatives, Liberals, and National Liberals, and the complexity of the relationship between them. One point on which they are all settled, however, is setting a strong face against the Labour Party's return. The condemnation of the capital levy proposed by the Labour Party has been the clearest evidence of the non-Labourites throughout the campaign.

The chances of notable candidates are canvassed in the newspapers. Even some friendly to the Premier, notably the *Daily Express* are not too comfortable about the prospects of his return for Glasgow. The position of the Unionists and National Liberals in Scotland is generally held to be favourable.

LAWLESS CHINA.

HONGKONG, November 15th.
A meeting of Hankow residents is called for 7 o'clock this evening at which the following resolution will be proposed: "The meeting views with consternation the unchecked growing lawlessness prevalent throughout China which recently culminated in an outbreak in Honan with an organized attack on foreign life and property. The meeting demands that effective action be taken to secure the immediate release of captives, and that immediate steps be devised by the Foreign Governments to ensure the future security of their nationals in China, also the principle of responsibility on the part of the Central Government in maintaining law be enforced and that Government be held accountable for failures in this regard."

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Five minutes, 5 cents.
Ten minutes, 10 "
Quarter hour, 15 "
Half hour, 30 "
One hour, 50 "
Every subsequent hour, 30 "
II. - In the Hill District.
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Half hour, 60 "
One hour, 100 "
Every subsequent hour, 40 "

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Half hour, 35 "
One hour, 55 "
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10 minutes, 15 cents 3 cents.
Quarter hour, 30 "
Half hour, 60 "
One hour, 100 "
Every subsequent hour, 40 "

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HONGKONG HEIGHTS.

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ISLAND.

Signal Station 1774
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Mountain Lodge 1725

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Peak Hotel 1306
Mt. Davis 877
Bowen Rd. (Hillside) 393

MAINLAND.

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Kowloon Peak 1971
Lion Rock 1645
Shatin Pass 1000

Customs Pass 780

Devil's Peak 724

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VISITORS AT THE HOTELS.

HONGKONG HOTEL

November 14.

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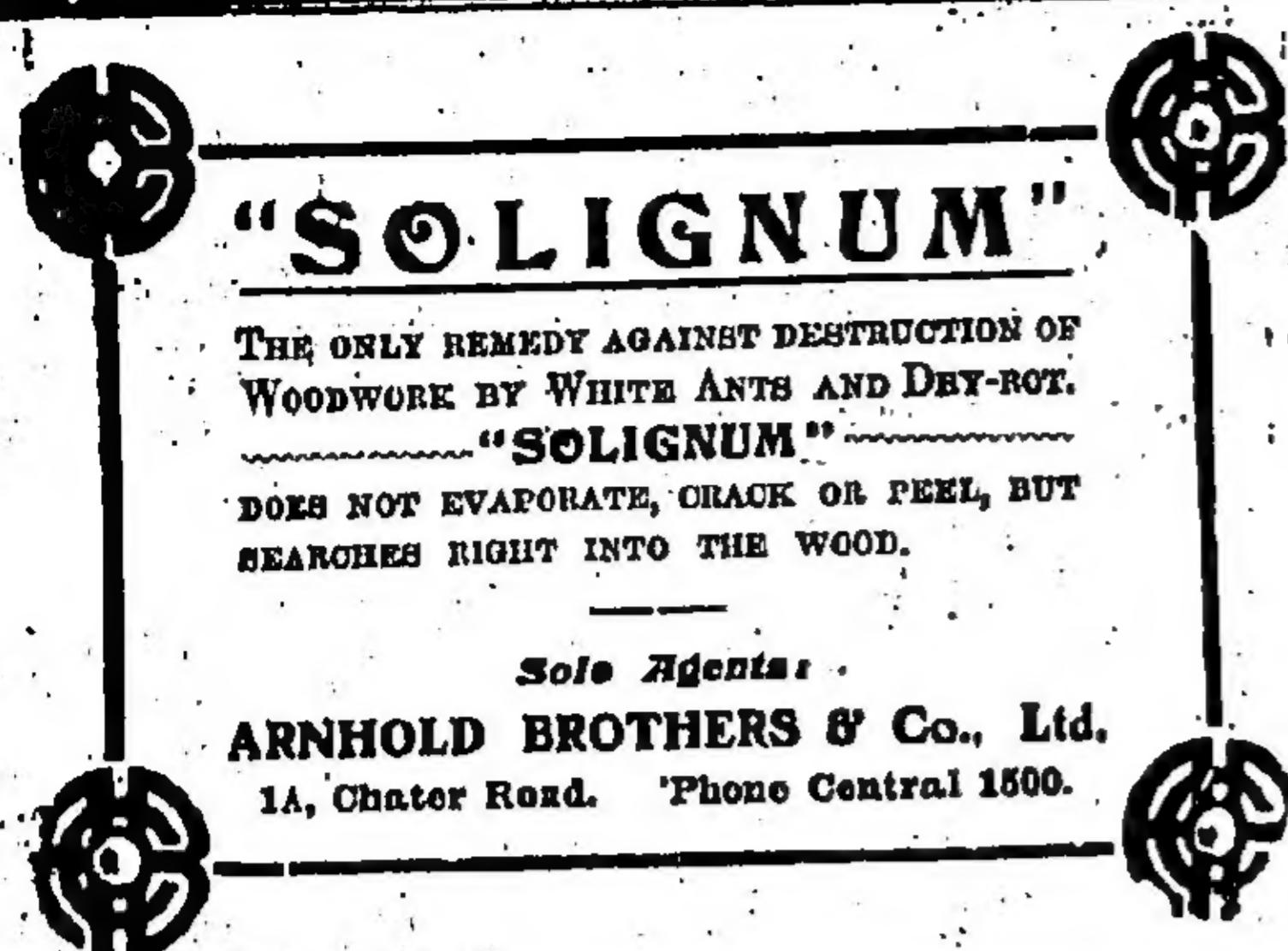
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TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail)

REPARATIONS PAYMENTS.

COMMISSION'S DECISIONS.

PARIS, November 15.

M. Payer, of the War Burdens Commission, has handed over to the Reparations Commission Bills payable in Brussels to the value of 55 million gold marks due on May 15, 1923, in execution of the decision of the Reparations Commission on August 31.

The cash payment due on November 15 under the Reparations Commission's decision of March 21 is 60 million gold marks. The balance of five million will be made up by additional bills delivered on November 17.

PROGRAMME UNCHANGED.

BERLIN, November 15.

It is semi-officially stated that the resignation of the Government in nowise affects Germany's reparation programme as expounded in yesterday's note to the Reparations Commission.

ARRESTED IRISHWOMEN.

CHARGES DISMISSED.

WASHINGTON, November 15.

Complaints against Mrs. McSwiney and other arrested women were dismissed and the prisoners discharged.

A Washington cable stated yesterday: Mrs. Muriel McSwiney, widow of the Lord mayor of Cork, and eight other female members of the American association for recognition of the Irish Republic were arrested, while marching before the British Embassy with banners demanding the release of Miss Mary McSwiney who is imprisoned in Ireland.

HALF BILLION MERGER.

PACKING FIRM COMBINE.

WASHINGTON, November 15.

A huge financial merger by the three great packing firms of Armour, Wilson and Morris, involving half a billion dollars was foreshadowed at a conference between Armour representatives and Federal trade officials.

HIGH SEAS LIQUOR TRAFFIC.

WOMEN'S CONVENTION DEMAND.

PHILADELPHIA, November 15.

The world convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union passed a resolution demanding that the shipping companies of the world take action with a view to ending the liquor traffic on the high seas.

BRITAIN'S & AMERICAN DEBT.

\$50,000,000 INTEREST PAYMENT.

NEW YORK, November 15.

Messrs. J. P. Morgan & Co., on behalf of the British Government, have paid the Federal Reserve bank for the account of the United States Government, a further \$50,000,000 instalment interest on the British war debt to America.

SHIPPING DEPRESSION.

AUSTRALIA'S IDLE TONNAGE.

SYDNEY, November 15.

Some 80,000 tons of shipping are laid up, mainly owing to the depression and to Japanese and American competition. Eighty-four thousand tons are also idle at Auckland.

A JUNK IN CANADA.

"AMOY" MAKING MONEY.

Hundreds of people at Victoria (British Columbia) have visited the "Amoy" the junk in which Captain George Waard sailed from Shanghai to Canada, according to Canadian papers. The city's Chinese have been flocking in great numbers to see the "Amoy," this link with home making a strong impression upon them. Without exception they are finding time to go down to the junk, and said that the Chinese craft should make such an extraordinary voyage. Their attitude is one of national pride.

The enterprising Waard was busy at dawn of the first day preparing for the influx. A telephone call to a lumber yard soon brought a load of timber, and the skipper was engaged all the morning constructing his own gangplank on the Belleville Street dock. When noon arrived he had ship and plank in position, and the spectators had sought to do but walk up the plank and aboard the ship. Mrs. Waard, dressed in the traditional trousers of lacquered cotton, officiated as gatekeeper, taking toll in the sum of 25 cents of all who passed her.

Chen Tai, Loo Fook and Wong Fook, Hongkong laundrymen, were the junk about the entire confident.

ENGLAND IN EGYPT.

SIR WILLIAM BRUNYATE'S LECTURE.

With twenty years' experience as an administrator in Egypt to draw upon for illustration and anecdote Sir William Brunyate lectured interestingly at St. Andrew's Church Hall, Kowloon, last night, on the subject of "England in Egypt."

Sir William rapidly sketched the history of Egypt and went on to deal with the administration of the country during the British Occupation. He claimed that, under it, the population was happy; they got water; they got justice, rough and ready, perhaps, at times; and they grew rich. The trouble was they came to expect all these things as a right and brought law suits if they did not get water. This was not surprising, for the value of land went up on the supposition that there would be water, until it reached £200 an acre and after the war—even £600, for agricultural land.

"There was, however, real need for a constructive policy," Sir William said. "You were educating the people and they were expecting some better and expecting something political. Before the Anglo-French Agreement there was this advantage: you could say, 'when things went wrong, that it was due to French intervention, but afterwards you became responsible for your own mistakes.' Kitchener was all for Government or patriarchal line; but when you have political untrut I am not sure that patriarchal lines are quite the way to meet it."

Discussing conditions in Egypt during the war Sir William referred to Sir Valentine Chidio's statement about "British servants already demoralised and only galvanised into activity by military influence and martial law." That was not the picture as he remembered it and it was untrue. During all the time, even in the darkest days of the war, most consistent help was received from Egyptian Ministers. As to the explanation of the disorders of March, 1919, Sir William observed: "You could not talk of self-determination (without mentioning the nature of the qualifications you have in mind) and expect nothing to happen. You have people in all these countries who think they could try self-government, and if you talk of self-determination they want to take you at your word."

As to the spirit of self-government Sir William said that of course it would not work well, and one could not expect it to. Imagine their appeal difficulties at the present time with the Near East in danger of conflagration. One must be prepared to put up with a lower standard of Government: "The Egyptian Government is in for an interesting and difficult time; let us give them our sympathy and hope that it will turn out as well as may be," he concluded.

Mr. H. E. Pollock, K.C., who presided in the absence of H. E. the Officer Administering the Government thanked the lecturer in a brief speech. Mr. Pollock declared himself a believer in what he would call for convenience "the white man's burden theory" and from that aspect he thought some of Sir William's remarks were discouraging. Self determination had been stressed too much since the Treaty of Versailles. In order to maintain order and justice, it was the duty of Britain, having once entered a country, not to let go before the people were ready for self-government.

Another 100 yards and he would safely have negotiated the point," writes the Weihaiwei correspondent of the "P. & T. Times" of the wreck of the "Koonshing." The night was dark with flurries of rain and the Inner Light on Flagstaff Lighthouse was only visible at intervals. The weather was calm. At the time of the disaster the Captain was on the bridge, and the Chief Officer was on the bow, preparing to anchor. The ship was going dead slow, when she ran bow on, on to the Tuke Rocks. She might subsequently have been saved but for a heavy northeast gale which set in about an hour after the accident. All that day the tugboat "Hesper" and the launch Alexandra were at work getting passengers, &c., off, in the high seas. The steamer "Chongchow" also stood by. H.M.S. "Despatch" gave valuable assistance, pouring oil on the water while life boats rescued people from the "Koonshing," who were huddled up on the latter's bow. All on board were rescued by the evening. The heavy seas caused the "Koonshing" to swing round on the rocks. Extensive damage was done to the keel and also to the superstructure by the high seas, and it is probable that the vessel will be a total loss. No lives were lost, but the Weihaiwei walls were swept overboard.

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LA TRAVIATA.

ANOTHER FINE PERFORMANCE LAST NIGHT.

From strength to strength the Italian Grand Opera Coy. pursued its evening course. It becomes exceedingly difficult adequately to write the praises of this happy band of artistes and to pay them the tribute which is their right due.

Last night to another packed and enthusiastic audience the Company presented "La Traviata," amongst the most attractive of their extensive repertoire. The theme of the other operas given has been that of tragedy. "La Traviata" is that also but it might well be described as pathetic tragedy.

The story grips our hearts from the beginning and our sympathy is all for Dumas' "Lady of the Camellias." The part calls for something more than singing—it demands that of course in the highest degree—it needs the insight necessary to show the deep workings of a tortured heart, and the body that is sick to death. In this exacting part Miss Delta achieved an undoubted success. Her acting was to the life and on this she commands a note of admiration. As the consummate courtesan her portrayal was wonderful, especially so in the last scenes of all. Her singing was all that could be desired and she surmounted the florid and bravura parts of the music with great success. It was a privilege to hear, for instance, "Ah, fond lui," and the other melodious items in a more than melodious opera. Signor B. Cappelli shared the honours. His free and fresh tenor voice was heard to admirable advantage. As usual effective assistance was forthcoming from colleagues taking lesser roles, and members of the Chorus. Verdi seems to have surpassed himself in the music of "La Traviata." It bubbles, it carries its bears along and the haunting things in most of it are not for present words to describe. In a word it is immense. Cav. Carmelo Castagnola again directed his orchestral forces, and the Opera generally, with a wisdom born of experience and a dash that was infective. Too much emphasis cannot be laid on the fact that much of the success of these feasts of music and of play lies at his door. It is a pleasure in the nightly scenes of enthusiasm which are enacted that the Signor comes in for his share of it. The scenery and general properties again were adequate to the occasion.

To-night the Company play and sing "Pogliacci" and "Cavalleria Rusticana"—a double treat indeed. It is good news to record that, in view of its deserved success, the Company is to extend its season here. Some well known and well tried favourites are announced.

In the task of safeguarding the children of the world the International Union applies to every nation, even the poorest, to do something, of their own, for their children and for those of other countries where help is needed. The British Save the Children Fund call upon all British people in all parts of the world to ally their efforts with theirs in this vast co-operative effort. They stand firmly for its principle, desiring to see all nations combining in national efforts and international organisations working closely together for the good of all mankind.

They particularly endeavour to see these activities carried out in ever closer co-operation with the Red Cross movement, a movement which has prepared the way for every kind of humanitarian effort on international lines, in proclaiming for nearly three quarters of a century that humanity and compassion for the suffering and helpless should overleap all barriers of race or creed.

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SAVING THE CHILDREN.

FUND HONGKONG SHOULD SUPPORT.

The Colonial Secretary forwarded the China Mail a copy of the following letter from Mr. Raymond Schleicher dated Hongkong, November 8:

Dear Sir,—Further to our conversation of yesterday, I send you herewith a few words of information regarding the work of the "Save the Children Fund" both as a national organisation and as a member, the most important, of an international body.

When leaving Europe on a world tour at the occasion of the Bangkok Conference on behalf of the International Committee of the Red Cross, I was asked by the Save the Children Fund and the Union who work in close co-operation with the Red Cross movement to represent them and to try in so far as the short time at my disposal might permit, and secure the sympathy and the support to their work of the British public in the different parts of the Empire and in foreign countries.

As I have told you, their scope is a very large one, it is absolutely independent from any consideration of race, nationality, religion or social standing; their aim at nothing theoretical but a very practical and urgent relief work. They have started magnificently, as the response of the public, who were tired of giving for adults, showed, a considerable general interest towards destitute children, but the effort must be continued during the many years of poverty and hardship which unfortunately we must still anticipate; it seems necessary to safeguard at any rate the children, so that these economic troubles may not result in a permanent lowering of our civilisation but that, on the contrary, the children should still get the necessary requirements for their welfare, so that they may grow up able and willing to play a noble part in building up the civilisation of the future.

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FREEDOM OF THE PRESS.

SHANGHAI MIXED COURT'S DECISION.

The Shanghai Mixed Court last week refused to grant an injunction against nine Chinese newspapers restraining them from publishing certain alleged libellous articles. The application was made by Mr. R. N. Macleod on behalf of the China Merchants' Steamship Company.

In support of the application counsel informed the Court that a petition, making certain allegations against the company, had been issued in the form of a pamphlet, by unknown persons, and the Chinese press had made reference to it. Mr. Foo of the company called at the offices of the Sia Wan 'Pao' and asked them not to publish the contents of the pamphlet as it might cause serious trouble, but his request was refused on the grounds that the matter was of public interest.

Mr. Mead, the British Assessor, refusing the application, observed that if the court issued an injunction it might lead to complications. He did not want to restrict the freedom of the press, and he was sure the papers concerned knew the consequences of publication of libellous articles.

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21.—I.O.S.N. Yinchow.
21.—I.O.S.N. Chonging.
21.—C. N. Haibon.
21.—C. N. Kingyan.
22.—I.O.S.N. Yingchow.
23.—I.O.S.N. Wingzang.
24.—D. L. Haiching.
25.—I.O.S.N. Kengang.
26.—E. A. Hingting.
27.—I.O.S.N. Dufu.
Dec. 19.—O. S. K. Sosho Maru.

AMOY.

Nov. 17.—D. L. Haifuong. Holhong.
21.—D. L. Haiching.
23.—D. L. Haiching.
Dec. 19.—O. S. K. Sosho Maru.

FOOCHOW.

Oct. 17.—D. L. Haifuong. Haifuong.
21.—D. L. Haifuong.
24.—D. L. Haiching.

SHANGHAI.

Nov. 17.—C. P. S. Empress of Canada.
18.—C. N. Sinking.
19.—C. N. Chengtu.
20.—P. & O. Kashgar.
21.—I.O.S.N. Yinchow.
21.—I.C.J.L. Tjikini.
21.—I.O.S.N. Bang.
21.—I.O.S.N. Wingsang.
23.—C. N. Sowbow.
26.—T. R. K. Taiyo Maru.
26.—I.O.S.N. Kwongtung.
26.—P. M. Pres. Cleveland.
26.—N. Y. K. Fung Maru.
27.—C. N. K. Chi.
27.—N. Y. K. Ava Maru.
28.—N. Y. K. Sog Maru.
28.—O. P. & O. Empress of Russia.
Dec. 1.—L. T. Nippon.
2.—P. & O. Sicilia.
3.—P. & O. Pres. Wilson.
4.—P. M. Mentor.
13.—C. M. Nile.
15.—T. R. K. Tony Maru.
20.—N. Y. K. City of York.
21.—C. P. S. Empress of Alia.
21.—P. M. Pres. Taff.
21.—T. R. K. Rose Maru.
Jan. 6.—O. S. K. Nanking.
26.—T. R. K. Empress of Asia.
Feb. 10.—C. P. S. Sibon Maru.
Empress of Canada.

TSINGTAO.

Nov. 18.—C. N. Sinking.
21.—I.O.S.N. Yinchow.
21.—C. N. Yinchow.
22.—I.O.S.N. Wingzang.
22.—I.O.S.N. Kwoongsang.

NEWCHWANG.

Nov. 17.—C. N. Kanu.

HOIHOW.

Nov. 18.—C. N. Linan.
22.—I.O.S.N. Chuhsang.

KEELUNG.

Nov. 20.—T. R. K. Taiyo Maru.
Dec. 21.—T. R. K. Pres. Maru.

SAIGON.

Nov. 16.—I.C.J.L. Tjipanis.
27.—C. P. S. West Pavilion.
Dec. 2.—O. S. K. Kishu Maru.
18.—T. R. K. Adu.
18.—T. R. K. Woyo Maru.

HAIPHONG VIA HOIHOW.

Nov. 17.—I.C.J.N. Lescang.

BANGKOK.

Nov. 17.—E. A. Pakka.
18.—C. N. Linan.
21.—I.O.S.N. Chakang.
21.—C. N. Kingyan.
22.—I.O.S.N. Chunsang.
22.—C. N. Bintang.
27.—I.O.S.N. Dufu.
Dec. 2.—O. S. K. Kishu Maru.

SINGAPORE.

Nov. 17.—E. I. City of Tokio.
17.—C. M. Gorji-tan.
18.—C. N. Aratoyo Apac.
19.—C. N. Kweiyang.
20.—R. F. Yangtze.
20.—N. Y. K. Calcutta Maru.
22.—N. Y. K. Minmaru.
22.—C. M. Van Duystraten.
22.—D. L. Taka.
23.—P. & O. Sia.
27.—S. & B. West Ferso.
27.—N. Y. K. W. kasa Maru.
27.—R. F. Phil. et al.
29.—G. I. Glenarry.
29.—N. Y. K. Fawchi Maru.
29.—N. Y. K. Domodex.
29.—O. S. K. Kishu Maru.
29.—P. & O. Pyrhys.
29.—N. Y. K. Karmala.
29.—N. Y. K. Hakata Maru.
29.—I. O. President Wilson.
29.—P. M. Karmala.
30.—C. M. Nile.
30.—O. S. K. Paris Maru.
30.—P. & O. Sicilia.
30.—T. R. K. Tony Maru.
30.—N. Y. K. Shidzuka Maru.
30.—A. G. Changsha.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, ETC.

MANILA.

Nov. 17.—I.O.S.N. Yuensang.
20.—A. L. Pres. McKinley.
21.—U. S. S. B. Pres. Farnon.
21.—P. M. Pres. Wilson.
21.—T. R. K. Seijo Maru.
Jan. 10.—T. R. K. Rakyo Maru.
11.—T. R. K. Shinyo Maru.

JAYA PORTS, ETC.

Nov. 23.—I.C.S.N. Hinsang.

INDIAN PORTS, ETC.

(VIA RANGOON).

Nov. 20.—B. I. Calcutta Maru.

Dec. 10.—I.C.S.N. Kutsang.

10.—B. I. Tovilla.

12.—O. S. K. Sicilia Maru.

BOMBAY AND COLOMBO.

Nov. 21.—O. S. K. Honolulu Maru.

23.—P. & O. Soudan Maru.

27.—N. V. K. Wakasa Maru.

Dec. 6.—O. S. K. Java Maru.

8.—P. & O. Karmala Maru.

10.—N. Y. K. Kamakura Maru.

12.—P. & O. Pres. Cleveland.

12.—P. & O. Fung Maru.

17.—C. N. K. Chi.

17.—N. Y. K. Ava Maru.

18.—N. Y. K. Sog Maru.

20.—C. P. S. Plasy.

21.—P. & O. Nellora.

Mar. 7.—P. & O. Delta.

21.—P. & O. Kalyan.

21.—P. & O. Kashmir.

21.—P. & O. Khyber.

PORT SAID.

Nov. 16.—N. L. Westfallen.

AUSTRALIAN PORTS.

SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

Nov. 29.—E. A. Extorn.

19.—A. O. Taipuan.

Jan. 3.—E. & O. Taru Maru.

4.—A. O. Arfura.

16.—N. Y. K. Yoshino Maru.

JAPAN PORTS.

Nov. 16.—I.C.S.N. Kutsang.

16.—C. P. S. Atlas Maru.

17.—C. P. S. Empress of Canada.

17.—N. Y. K. Tango Maru.

27.—I.C.J.L. Tjikini.

22.—B. I. Torilla.

24.—N. Y. K. Borno Maru.

26.—C. M. Pres. Cleveland.

26.—T. R. K. Taron Maru.

26.—T. R. K. Chiyo Maru.

28.—T. R. K. Seijo Maru.

28.—T. R. K. Sado Maru.

29.—N. Y. K. Eastern.

30.—C. P. S. Empress of Russia.

Dec. 2.—P. & O. Plasy.

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20.—A. G. Changsha.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Nov. 20.—U. S. S. E. I. Elkridge.

21.—E. L. City of York.

27.—P. & O. Pres. Taft.

27.—T. R. K. Kome Maru.

28.—T. R. K. Seijo Maru.

29.—P. & O. Sardius.

30.—T. R. K. Empress of Asia.

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Prince George of Greece.

Greece's new King.



Haiti Republic's Minister for Foreign Affairs.



Mrs. I.C. Taylor.

Said to have been beaten up by women members of the Ku Klux Klan who accused her of teaching her daughter immoral ways.



Mrs. Cora Parsons & Miss Helen Mae Parsons.

Mrs. Cora Parsons and her daughter, Miss Helen Mae Parsons, in whose Chicago home Captain Thomas Cuyler was shot dead by William H. Richards. Richards said he killed Cuyler to protect the girl from the steamship officer's attentions, the latter being married. Mrs. Parsons denied Richards was in love with her, as at first reported, but that he held high regard for her daughter.



Where President Monroe died.

Room where the author of the Monroe doctrine passed away.



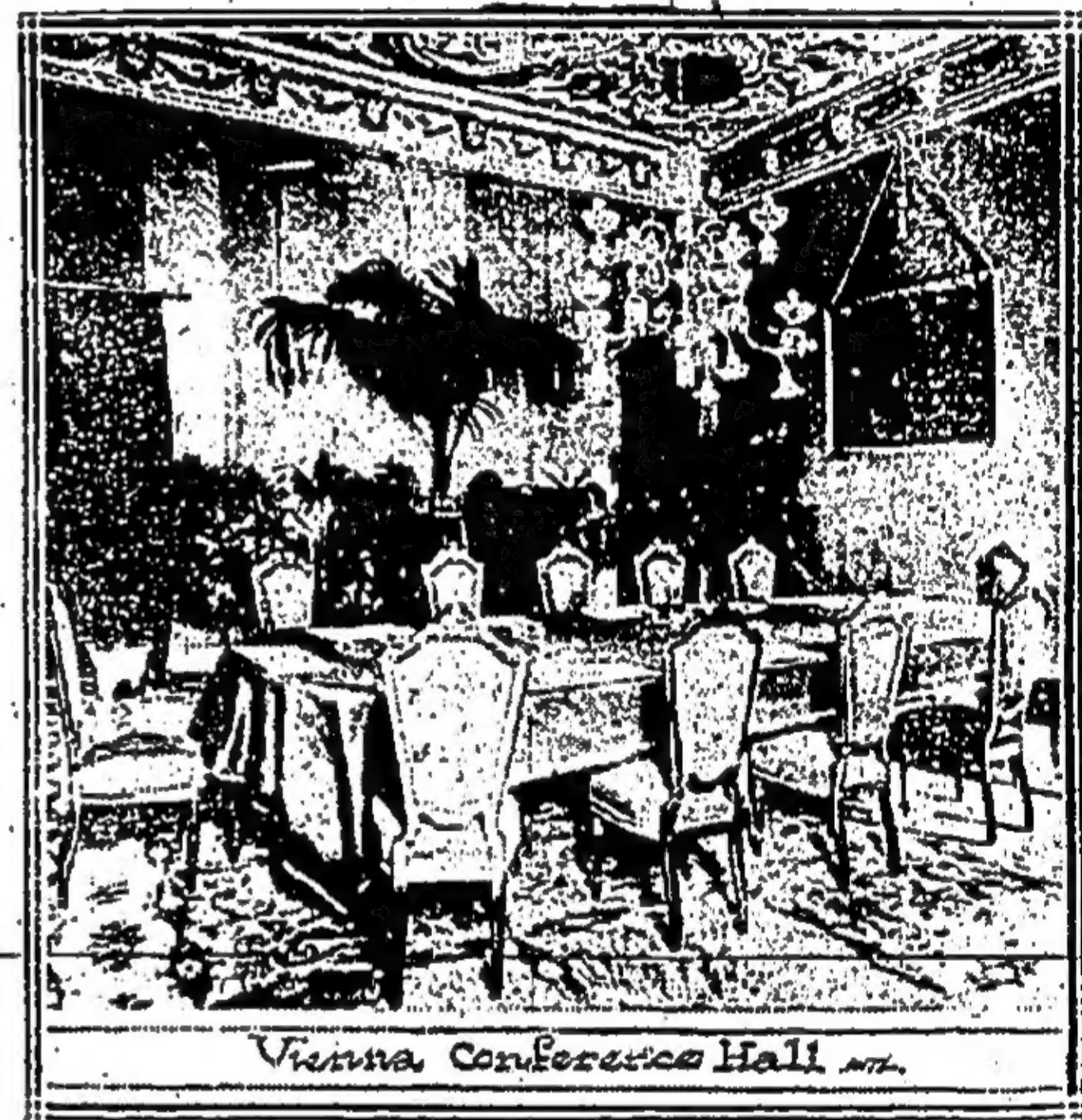
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Husband of a woman found dead alongside the murdered body of a New Jersey pastor.



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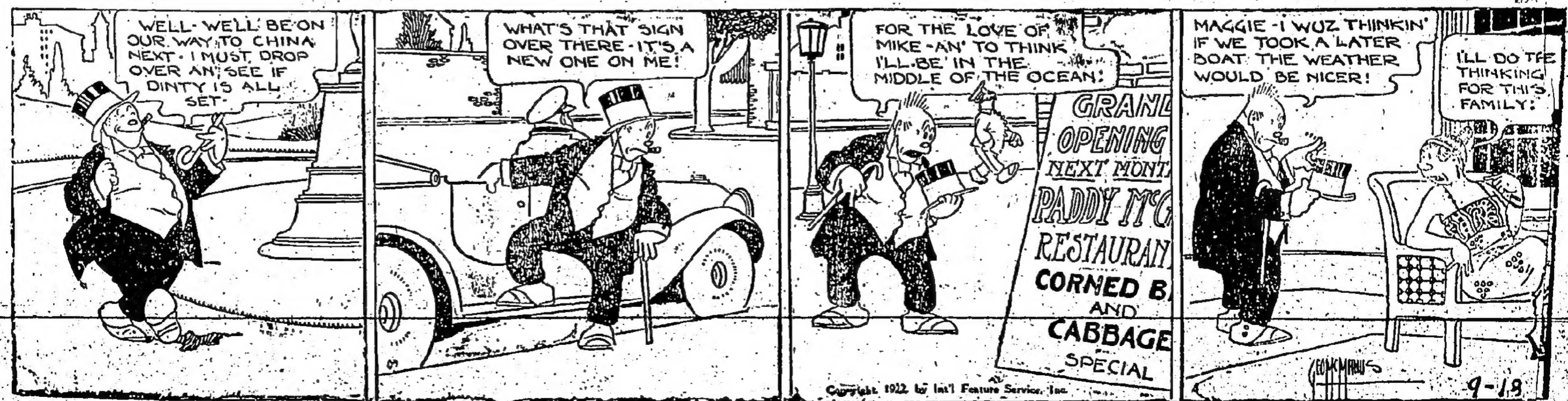
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SMUGGLING PROBLEM.

SHANGHAI SHIPPING PAPERS' VIEWS.

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AMERICAN PROFESSOR'S QUANT TEST TUBE.

Owing to the ingenuity of smugglers, the difficulties under which work all concerned in their detection, are enormous and little realized by those not directly concerned, says *Shipping and Engineering* in the course of a lead on the opium smuggling problem. Whatever efforts are made by the revenue authorities, by the shipping companies or by the ship's officers, so long as Chinese are carried on China Constabries—whether as crew or as passengers, is immaterial—the smuggling of opium will go on; so long as there is a demand for opium there will be a supply; and in supplying the drug there will always be those ready and willing to pit their brains and their resources against the forces of law and order. It is well known that there who smuggle opium and morphine on a big scale can afford to lose one consignment in three, and that they always allow for this happening.

Most of the methods employed by smugglers are far in excess, in cunning and ingenuity, of the comparatively clumsy and crude methods described by the Colonial Secetary of Hongkong, and usually are such as to render futile any efforts on the part of ship's officers. Much of the opium that is smuggled into China arrives disguised in the form of cargo, and it is in this matter that the Hongkong authorities might become a little more active. New means and methods of smuggling are always coming to light, each displaying a successively greater degree of ingenuity on the part of the smugglers. Incidentally, we might mention as a matter of interest that a valuable consignment of contraband is stated to have arrived some months ago at a Chinese port and to have successfully passed the Customs' authorities, concealed in the motor casings of electric fans, from which everything else had been removed. . . . The authorities concerned have no doubt made a close study of the methods employed by Chinese in the smuggling of drugs on local vessels, and it would appear that a far more strict supervision of vessel loading could be instituted by these authorities as a means to a more comprehensive and effective method of dealing with the matter.

BOXING.

HOW THE AMATEUR IS DISCOURAGED.

The Hongkong papers, and the public, too, as far as can be gathered, treated the visit of Battling Key in the proper spirit, says the *Singapore Free Press*. That is to say whilst giving him an impartial welcome and friendly criticism, they stated plainly that Hongkong does not favor professional boxing. This is what the right line to take and it has always been a regret with us that the local organisers allowed themselves to be dragged into the regular promotion of professional events. The result is certainly stunting to the real progress of the sport, because the majority of youngsters have not the ability to make sure of earning a living at the game and in consequence, not being able to give up all their time to training—and practice, they fight shy of meeting those few men who can do so. The result is that the amateurs get comparatively little chance, largely because they are not a gate drawing proposition and there will be a tendency sooner or later for their enthusiasm to die out. We do not think it is yet too late for the organisers to change their policy but it will be too late if the present methods are allowed to go on.

A WINTER AILMENT.

The Time When Rheumatism Returns.

This is the season when stiffness in the joints and sharp twinges of pain in the muscles of the arms, legs or back, give warning to many people that rheumatism has not been dispelled from the old trouble. Damp or cold days befit the old trouble and make existence miserable.

There are almost as many ways of treating rheumatism as there are doctors. Most of these treatments are directed only at the symptoms, and are reckoned good enough if they relieve the pain and stiffness for a time, but they fail to get at the root of the trouble, and so the rheumatism returns after exposure to damp or cold.

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Two shafts of light racing through a steel tube one mile in length and a foot in diameter is the latest test devised for the Einstein theory of relativity by Professor Albert A. Michelson, head of the Department of Physics of the University of Chicago who has just returned from California, where he conducted experiments at Mount Wilson Observatory. The phase of the Einstein theory challenged by Professor Michelson pertains to the effect of the rotation of the earth on a beam of light. Einstein has contended that the rays of light of a distant star undergo a noticeable deflection as they pass near the sun. To test his theory, Professor Michelson, who started the scientific world in 1920 by his announcement that he had obtained the actual dimensions of the star Betelgeuse, and found its volume to be 27 times greater than the sun, has now told of his more recent experiments.

At each of the four corners of a square, he said, measuring a quarter of a mile on each side, a mirror was placed. From one corner a beam of light was dispatched round one way—in the direction of the rotation of the earth.

Simultaneously another beam was dispatched round the other way—opposite to the direction of the earth's rotation. By use of a delicate instrument Professor Michelson was able to identify the beams upon their return.

If they returned at exactly the same instant the Einstein theory would have been repudiated. If they returned simultaneously, he said, it would have established that the rotation of the earth exercises no influence over the beam of light.

"We almost succeeded this summer in our experiment," he said. "Atmospheric interference was all that prevented the complete success. Temperature variations in the mountains and valleys out there militated against us."

"We proved that our principle was right, and now we plan to eliminate atmospheric interference by construction of a steel tube one foot in diameter round the entire one-mile circuit. By making this a vacuum all such interference is eliminated. We expect to complete our experiment quickly next summer."

PASSENGERS.

DEPARTURES.

For N.Y.K. ss. "Aki Maru" on Nov. 10—Messrs T. Kikuhara, D. Yamamoto, Go Bipeng, Master Go Chung Ming, Master Koong Wei, T. Yabe, F. Watabe, Mr. H. Aumiller, Renwell, Y. T. Marshall, G. M. W. Reynolds, Mr. C. H. Gordon, A. J. Kintwell, H. F. Morris, A. J. S. Stern, T. Nagata, F. White, Mrs. White, Miss Tyrre, Master Taro, Miss Kashiwagi, Mr. Kashiwagi, Lt.-Col. and Mrs. L. B. Bortz, Mr. G. Fujimoto, Mr. S. Fujii, Mr. K. Kikuchi, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bortz, Mr. A. P. Gordon, Dr. A. M. Beatt, Mr. H. J. James, Mr. T. H. Moore, Mr. F. M. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson and Mr. F. P. Kirby, Miss E. E. Wheel, Miss E. R. Van, Dr. Mr. R. Vensma, Mr. W. P. Pennington, Mr. S. H. S. K. Mr. Clark, Mrs. Clark, Mr. J. R. Groff, Mr. C. W. Smith, Mr. W. Gaul, Mr. and Mrs. Go Ban Chong, Mr. S. Nozaki, Mr. H. Huhata, Mr. F. Prischipenko, Mr. H. Yamamoto, Mr. L. Yasu, Miss M. Moraki, Mrs. K. Moraki, Mr. K. Yamamoto and Miss B. M. Nishio.

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